

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No. 45669-304008

Michael Christian Norris

Serial No. 10/505,291

Filed:

August 19, 2004

For:

PHARMACEUTICAL COMBINATIONS OF COX-2 INHIBITORS AND OPIATES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Small entity status of this application up	der 37 C.F.R. 81.9 an	id \$1.27 has been est	ablished by a verified

statement.

Applicant claims small entity status.

No additional fee is required.

The additional fee is calculated as shown below:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL	39	MINUS	41=	0	x25	\$	x50	\$	
INDEP.	3	MINUS	4 =	0	x100	\$	x200	\$	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+180	\$	+360	\$	
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR \\$1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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In re Application of:)	
Michael Christian Norris)	
)	Art Unit: 1615
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

Kindly amend the above-identified patent application prior to examination. Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration of the amended claims.

No additional fees are believed due, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies that may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 11-0855.

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